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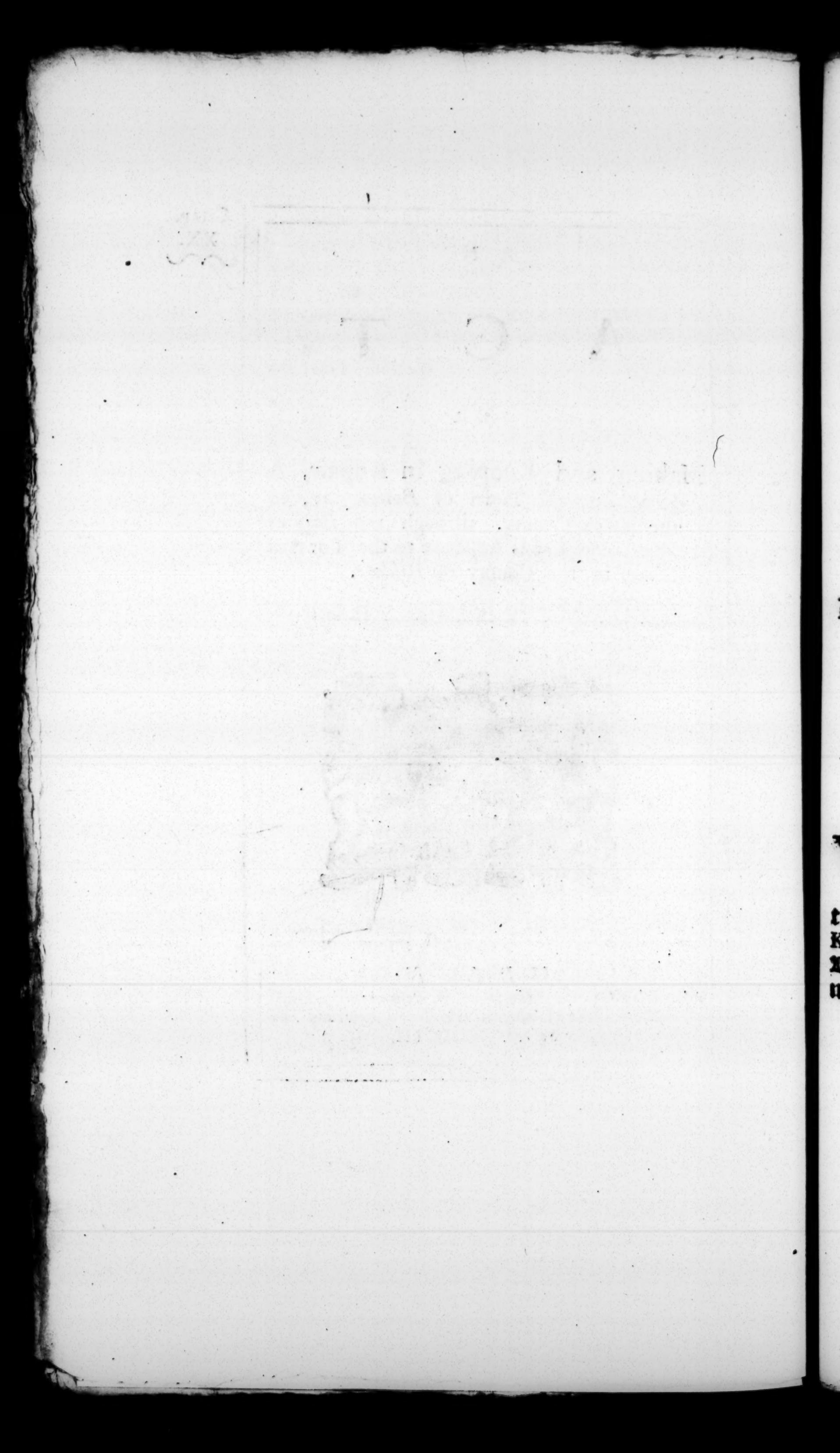
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ty of *Kildare*.

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W H E R E A S the High-Way or
Road Leading from the Town of
Ballynagarr, in the King's County,
to the Town of *Clane*, in the County of
Kildare, by Reason of a great Tract of
Bogg, at present Impassable, is carried
many Miles about:

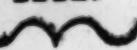
And whereas, if a Road was carried in a more Direct Line, it might be Considerably Shortened, which by the Ordinary Course Appointed by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm, cannot be Effectually Done, and Kept in Good and Sufficient Repair:

And whereas the Making the said Road will be of great Advantage to the Publick, by being a Means of Draining and Improving the said large Tract of Bogg; Wherefore, and to the Intent that the said High-Ways and Roads may, with Convenient Speed, be Effectually Made, and hereafter Kept in Good and Sufficient Repair, so that all Persons may Travel through the same with Safety;

Be it Enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons in this present Parliament Assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That for the better Surveying, Ordering, Making, Amending, and Keeping in Repair the said High-Way or Road, It shall be in the power of the Right Honourable James Earl of Kildare, the Right Honourable Richard Lord Viscount Molesworth, the Right Honourable Robert Lord Viscount Bellfield, the Right Honourable Charles Lord Baron of Tullamore, the Right Honourable

Honourable Sir Arthur Gore Baronet, the CHAP.
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terel, Esquires, Reverend Benjamin Digby,
James Hamilton, James Clark, Nicholas Wag-
gan, Francis Savage, Francis Lumm, Council-
or Frederick Trench, Frederick Trench the
Younger, Henry Hatch, Samuel Lucas, Henry
Aston, Theobald Wolfe, Thomas Wolfe, Es-
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nor, Francis Mc. Gawley, Thomas Sherlock, Ed-
ward Hussey, Boyle Spencer, Warneford Arm-
strong, Esquires, the Reverend Francis Lata-
biliere, the Reverend Michael Cahil, Mr. James
Wedgwood, Mr. John Kemeys, Mr. Thomas
Fitzgarald of Dunburn, Mr. Sylvester Shaw, Mr.
Ralph Briscoe, Mr. Richard Odlum, Mr. Hen-
ry Odlum of Carpincor, Mr. Thomas Willson,
and Mr. Edward Briscoe, Who are hereby
ominated and Appointed Trustees of
the said Roads, and the Survivers of
them, or any Nine or more of them, or
such Person or Persons as they, or any
Nine, or more of them, shall Authorize and
Appoint,

CHAP. Appoint, shall and may Erect or Cause to
XX. be Erected, One or more Gate or Gates,
Turn-pike or Turn-pikes, in, upon, or
across any Part or Parts of the said High-
ways and Roads, and also a Toll-house
or Toll-houses, and there shall Receive
and Take the Tolls and Duties following;
Before any Horse, Mare, Gelding, Ass,
or Mule, Cattle, Coach, Berlin, Cha-
riot, Calash, Chaise, Chair, Waggon,
Wain, Cart, Carr, or other Carriages,
shall be permitted to pass through the
same, (Viz.) For every Coach, Berlin,
Chariot, Calash, Chaise, or Chair Drawn
by Six Horses, Geldings or Mares, the
Sum of One Shilling and Six Pence;
And for every Coach, Berlin, Chariot,
Calash, Chaise or Chair, Drawn by any
lesser Number of Horses, Geldings or
Mares than Six, and more than Two,
One Shilling; For every Coach, Ber-
lin, Chariot, Calash, Chaise or Chair,
Drawn with Two Horses, Geldings or
Mares, Six Pence; For every Wag-
gon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage with
four Wheels, the Sum of Ten Shil-
lings; For every Wain, Cart, or Car-
riage with Two Wheels, Drawn by
more than Two Horses, Mares, Geld-
ings, or Oxen, the Sum of five Pence;
For every Carr, Carr, or other Carri-
age, Drawn with Two Horses, Geldings,
or Mares, the Sum of four Pence;
For every Carriage commonly called a
Chair



Chair or Chaile, with One Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the Sum of Threē pence; For every Carr or other Carttage, Drawn but by One horse, Mare, or Gelding, the Sum of One penny; Excepting Cartes Loaden with Cart, and for each of them One half-penny; And for every Horse or other Cattle Loaden with Cart, not Drawning, One half-penny; For every other Horse, Mare, Gelding, Mule, or Ass, Loaden or Unloaden, and not Drawning, One Penny; For every Drove of Oxen, Colbs, or Neat Cattle, the Sum of Ten pence per Score, and so in proportion for any greater or lesser Number; For every Drove of Calves, Hoggis, Sheep, or Lambs, the Sum of five pence per Score, and so in proportion for any greater or lesser Number; Which said respective Sum and Sums of Money shall be Demanded, and Taken in the Name of, or as a Toll or Duty; And the Money so to be Raised as aforesaid, is, and shall hereby be Wested in the said Trustees; And the same, and every part thereof, shall be paid, Applied and Disposed of, and Assigned, to and for the several Uses, Intents and Purposes, and in such Manner, as is herein after Mentioned and Directed; And the said Trustees, or any Nine or more of them, are hereby Impowered by themselves, or any Person or Persons by them, or any Nine or more of them, under their Hands and Seals

CHAP. thereunto Authorized, to Levy the Toll
XX. or Duty hereby Required to be paid up-
on any Person or Persons, who shall af-
ter Demand made thereof, Neglect or Re-
fuse to pay the same, by Distress of any
Horse or Horses, or other Cattle or Goods
upon which such Toll or Duty is by
this Act Imposed, or upon any of the
Goods and Chattels, of such Person and
Persons who ought to pay the same,
and may Detain and Keep the same,
until such Toll or Duty with the rea-
sonable Charges of such Distaining or
Keeping shall be paid; And it shall
and may be Lawful, to and for the
Person or Persons so Distaining, after
the Space of Five Days after such Dis-
tress Made and Taken, to Sell the Goods
Distained, Returning the Overplus (if
any be) upon Demand to the Owner
thereof, after such Toll, Duty, and Rea-
sonable Charges for Distaining and Keep-
ing the same, shall be Deducted and paid.

And be it further Enacted by the Auth-
ority aforesaid, That out of the first Mo-
ney Arising from the Profits of the several
Turn-pikes to be Erected, the said Trus-
tees, or any Nine or more of them, shall
first pay and Discharge the Expence of
Procuring this Act of Parliament, and of
Erecting such Turn-pike or Turn-pikes,
or Building such Toll-house or Toll-
houses, and from and after such Charges
and

and Expences shall be fully Satisfied and Paid, that then and from thenceforth the Profits Arising, and the Toll to be Collected at any Turn-pike or Turn-pikes, to be Erected or Set up on the said Road, Leading from the Town of Ballynagar, in the King's County, through the Bogg of Allen, and adjacent Lands, to the Town of Clane, in the County of Kildare, shall be Applied for and towards the Repair of the said Road only, and not elsewhere.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons whatsoever, Owning, Renting, or Occupying any Land near unto any Turn-pike to be Erected in Pursuance of this Act, shall, for Gain, Reward, or Otherwise, Permit any Person or Persons whatsoever to pass through any Gate, Passage or Way, with any Coach, Wagon, Chariot, Calash, Chaise, or Chair, Waggon, Wain, Cart, Carr, or other Carriage, or Riding, or Driving any Horse, Mule, Ass, or any Sort of Cattle, to Avoid the Payment of the Toll hereby Appointed to be Paid, and shall be thereof Convicted, upon the Oath of One or more Witnesses or Witnesses, before the said Trustees, or any Five or more of them, or before One or more Justice or Justices of the Peace for the County wherein such Offence or Offences shall be Committed, who are hereby Impowered and

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CHAP. Required to Administer such Oath, such Person or Persons shall Forfeit and Pay to the Trustees Authorized to put this Act in Execution, the Sum of Ten Shillings, to be Levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods, by Warrant under the Hand and Seal, or under the Hands and Seals of the said Trustees, or any Five or more of them, or such Justice or Justices, Rendering the Overplus (if any be) the Charges in Taking and Disposing of the said Goods, being first Deducted.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be Lawful, to and for the said Trustees, or any Nine or more of them, to Erect One or more Gate or Gates, Turn-pike or Turn-pikes on the Side of the said High-Ways or Roads, Cross any Lane or Way Leading out of the said Road, and to Build One or more Toll-House or Toll-Houses, and there to Receive and Take such Toll as is Appointed by this Act to be Taken, so as the same do not Extend to a Double Charge in Case of passing through any of the other Turn-pikes, to be Erected by Virtue of this Act, from the Town of Ballynagar, in the King's County, through the Bogg of Allen, and Adjacent Lands, to the Town of Clane, in the County of Kildare.

And

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the said Trustees, or any Nine or more of them, at their first Meeting, or any Succeeding Meeting, by Writing under their Hands and Seals, shall and may Elect, Nominate, and Appoint One or more fit Person or Persons to be Receiver or Receivers, Collector or Collectors of such Money, in the Name of such Toll or Duty, as shall be Due and payable by Virtue of this Act, and also One or more fit Person or Persons to be Surveyor or Surveyors to see the Condition of the said High-Way or Road, and to see that the same be Made, Repaired and Amended, and that the Money Arising and Expended by Virtue of this Act be duly Applied, and from Time to Time to Remove such Collectors, Receivers, and Surveyors, or any or either of them, as they shall see Occasion, and Appoint New Ones in Case of Death, or of such Removal; And such Person or Persons as is or are Liable by this Act to pay the said Toll or Duty is, and are hereby Required to pay the same, after the Rates aforesaid, to the said Receiver or Receivers, Collector or Collectors of the said Toll or Duty, in that Behalf, from Time to Time, Appointed as aforesaid, for the Receiving the said Toll or Duty, and such Surveyor or Surveyors, as aforesaid, shall, upon Oath, if thereto Required, by the

CHAP. Trustees, or any Nine or more of them, or
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the Peace, Residing near the High-Way
or Road aforesaid, Which Oath such Trus-
tees, or any Nine or more of them, or
such Justice or Justices is, and are here-
by Impolbered and Required to Admini-
ster, on the first Tuesday in every Month,
or oftener, if Required, during the Con-
tinuance of this Act, give in a True,
Exact, and Perfect Account, in Writ-
ing, under their respective Hands, of all
Monies which he and they, and every,
or any of them, shall to such Time have
Received, paid, and Disbursed, by Vir-
tue of this Act, by Reason of their respective
Offices, for Which Oath no Fee or Re-
ward shall be taken, and in Case any Mo-
ney, so Received, shall Remain in their,
or any of their Hands, the same shall be
paid to the said Trustees, or any Nine or
more of them, or to such Person or Persons
as the said Trustees, or any Nine or more
of them, shall by any Writing or Writ-
ings, under their Hands and Seals, Au-
thorize and Impolber to Receive the same,
which shall be Disbursed and Laid out in
Making the said High-Way or Road, ac-
cording to the true Intent and Mean-
ing of this Act, and not otherwise; And
the said Trustees, or any Nine or more,
to whom such Account shall be Giv-
en, shall, and may out of the Money
arising by the said Toll or Duty,
make

make such Allowance to the said Receiver or Receivers, Collector or Collectors, and the Surveyor and Surveyors, for, and in Consideration of his and their Care and Pains, respectively Taken in the Execution of his, and their Office and Offices, and to such other Person or Persons as have been, or shall be Assisting in and about Preparing the said High-Way and Road to be Made and Repaired, by Advancing and Laying out any Money, or otherwise Relating thereto, as to them shall seem good, so as such Allowance or Allowances to such Collector or Collectors do not Annually exceed Twenty Pounds, and to such Surveyor or Surveyors any Sum not exceeding Two Shillings and Six Pence per Day, during such Time or Times as he or they shall be respectively Employed in the Making and Repairing of the said Road, and so as such Allowance or Allowances, to any other Person or Persons, who shall be Employed by Virtue of this Act, does not Exceed the Sum of Fifteen Pounds Yearly to each person; And in Case the said Receiver or Receivers, Collector or Collectors of the aforesaid Toll or Duty, or any of them, shall not make such Account and Payment, unto such Person or Persons, according to the Orders and Directions of the said Trustees, or any Nine or more of them, as aforesaid,

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XX. at any Special Sessions or Meeting of
them, to be Holden for the County in
which the said Receiver or Receivers,
Collector or Collectors, have Acted or
been Employed, and made such Default
as aforesaid, shall, and are hereby Re-
quired and Impowered to make Enquiry,
and finally to Determine of and Con-
cerning such Default, as well by the Con-
fession of the said Parties themselves, as
by the Testimony of One or more Credi-
ble Witness or Witnesses, upon Oath,
which Oath they are hereby Impowered
and Required to Administer Without Fee
or Reward, and if any Person or Persons
shall be Convicted thereof, by such Justi-
ces, the said Justices shall, upon such
Conviction, Commit the Party or Parties
to the Common Goal of the County
where such Offence shall be Committed,
there to Remain, Without Bail or Main-
prise, until he or they shall have made a
True and Perfect Account and Payment
as aforesaid.

And be it Enacted by the Authority
aforesaid, That it shall and may be
Lawful, to and for the said Surveyor
or Surveyors, and such Person or Persons,
as he, or they shall Appoint to Dig,
Raise, Gather, Take and Carry away,
any Gravel, Furze, Sand, Stones or
other Materials, in the several Grounds
of

of any Person or Persons, not being a Garden, Orchard, Yard or Meadow, planted Walk, or Walks, or Avenue to a House, where any such Materials are, or may be Found, and from Time to Time to Carry albay such, and so much thereof, as the said Surveyor or Surveyors shall Adjudge Necessary for the Making, Repairing, and Amending the said High-Ways or Roads, Paying such Rate for such Materials to the Owner or Occupier of the Ground, from whence the same shall be Raised, Dug, Gathered and Carried away, as the Trustees Appointed, or to be Appointed, to put this Act in Execution, or any Nine or more of them, shall Adjudge Reasonable; And in Case of any Difference between such Owner or Occupier, and the said Trustees touching the Value of the Materials and the Damage aforesaid, the Judges of Assize, at the next General Assize, and General Goal Delivery, to be Holden in the County, where such Materials shall be Raised, Dug, or Gathered, and from whence the same shall be Carried albay, may and shall Adjudge, Assess, and finally Determine the same.

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And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be Lawful to and for the Surveyor or Surveyors, and such Person or Persons as he or they shall Appoint from Time

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Shillings, to be Levied in Manner aforesaid.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be Lawful to and for the said Surveyor or Surveyors, by Order of the said Trustees, or any five or more of them, to Make, or Cause to be Made, Causeways, and to Cut and Make Drains through any Grounds lying Contiguous to the said Roads, and to Erect Arches of Brick, Timber or Stone, therupon, and also to Widen any of the Narrow parts of the said High-Ways or Roads, by Opening, Clearing, and Laying into the said High-Ways or Roads, any Ground of any Person or Persons lying Contiguous to such High-Ways or Roads, not being a House, Garden, Orchard, Planted Walk, or Avenue to a House, and also to Cause Ditches or Trenches to be made in such places, and in such Manner, as such Surveyor or Surveyors, by Order of the said Trustees, or any five or more of them, shall Adjudge Necessary for the better Making, Amending, and Keeping the said High-Ways or Roads in good Repair, making such Reasonable Satisfaction to the Owner or Occupier of such Ground which shall be so Laid in or unto the said High-Ways or Roads, through which any such Drain or Drains shall be Cut, or on which any such Arch or Arches shall be

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CHAP. made, for the Damages whiche he or they
XX. may or shall thereby Sustain, as shall
be Assessed and Judged by the next
going Judge or Judges of Assize, or by
the Justices of the Peace, or the Major
part of them, at the next General Qua-
ter Sessions to be Holden for the County in
whiche such Ground shall be Laid into the
said High-Ways or Roads, and through
whiche any such Drain or Drains, Ditch or
Ditches shall be Cut or Made, or on whiche
such Arch or Arches shall be Erected or
Made, or such Cause-Ways Made, in
Case of any Difference Concerning the
same; And if any Owner or Occupier of
any Water-Courses, Ditch or Ditches Ad-
joining to the said High-Ways or Roads,
shall Neglect or Refuse to Scour or Cleanse
such Water-Courses, and to make such
Ditches so Deep and in such Manner as
the Surveyor or Surveyors shall Adjudge
Proper and Convenient, after Ten Days
Notice shall be given for that purpose,
by such Surveyor or Surveyors, or such
Person or Persons as shall be Appointed
by him or them, to such Owner or Own-
ers, it shall and may be Lawful to and
for the said Surveyor and Surveyors to
Set any Man or Men to Work to Scour
or Cleanse, and Make the same, and by
Warrant in Writing, under the Hands
and Seals of any Five or more of the
said Trustees, to Levy the Charge thereof
upon the Persons Goods or Estates of the
Owner

Owner or Owners, Occupier or Occupiers
of such Water-Courses, Ditch or Ditches,
by Distress and Sale of his, her, or their
Goods and Chattels, Rendering the Over-
plus (if any be) to the said Owner or
Occupier, after all Charges paid.

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And Whereas the High-Way or Road,
from the Town of Ballynagar, in
the King's County, to the Town of
Clane, in the County of Kildare, may be
Considerably Shortened and Made much
more Convenient for Travellers, if the
same was Carried Straight, and in a
Direct Line, through the Bogg of Allen,
and the Adjacent Lands.

And that all Just and Reasonable Sa-
tisfaction may be given for the Land
made Use of in Carrying such Road
Straight as aforesaid;

We it further Enacted by the Authori-
ty aforesaid, That it shall and may be
Lawful, to and for the said Trustees, or
any Nine or more of them, to Ascer-
tain, Describe and Set apart, such part
and Proportion of the Lands Adjoin-
ing, or Contiguous to the said High-
Way or Road, or which otherwise Lyes
most Convenient for Carrying on and Con-
tinuing the said High-Way or Road
Straight and in Direct Lines, as they the
said Trustees, or any Nine or more of
them

CHAP. them, shall Judge necessary for Carrying
XX. the same Streight and in a Direct Line
as aforesaid; And the said Trustees, or
any Nine or more of them, are hereby
further Authorized and Impowered, to
Treat and Agree with the Owners and
others Interested in the said Ground, to
be made Use of in Carrying the said Road
Streight as aforesaid, for such Recom-
pence and Satisfaction to be made for
the same out of the Tolls and Duties
Arising by Virtue of this Act, as the said
Trustees, or any Nine or more of them,
shall think fit and reasonable; And in
Case any Person or Persons shall Neglect
or Refuse to Treat or Agree as aforesaid,
or through any Disability by Monage, Co-
verture or Special Limitation, in any
Settlement or Settlements, or by Reason
of any other Impediment cannot, or other-
wise holdsoever, Refuse to Dispose of their
respective Interest in such Land as the
said Trustees, or any Nine or more of
them, shall think Convenient, for the Short-
ening the said Road; In every such Case,
the said Trustees, or any Nine or more of
them, are hereby Authorized and Impow-
ered to Issue forth their Warrant or
Warrants, to the Sheriff or Sheriffs of
the County Wherein such Ground doth
lie, to Impannel and Return before the
said Trustees, or any Nine or more of
them, at such Time and Place, Within
the said County, as shall be Appointed
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in such Warrant or Warrants, a sufficient Jury, who upon their Oaths, which said Oaths the said Trustees, or any Nine or more of them, are hereby Impowered and Required to Administer, shall Enquire into the true and real Value of such Ground, to be made Use of for the said High-way or Road, and such Verdict or Inquisitions as shall be so found and returned by the said Jury, Ascertaining the Value of such Ground, shall be Final and Conclusive, as to the several and respective Owners and Proprietors of such Grounds, notwithstanding any Disability or Incapacity whatsoever.

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And for as much as the Money so to be Collected by such Receipt of the said Toll, will not be at present Sufficient for the Speedy Making and Repairing of the said High-Ways or Roads;

We it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the said Trustees, or any Eleven or more of them, shall and may, and are hereby Impowered, from Time to Time, by Writing under their respective Hands and Seals, to Assign over the said Separate Toll or Duty hereby granted, or any part thereof, the Costs and Charges whereof to be Born and Paid out of such Separate Toll or Duty, for any Term or Time during the Continuance of this Act, as a Security for any Sum or Sums of Money

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 pose, to such Person or Persons, or their
 Trustees, who shall Advance and Lend the
 same, to Secure the Re-Payment thereof,
 with Lawful Interest, or Less, if the
 same can be so had, which said Money
 Borrowed, shall be Applied and Disposed
 of as the Toll or Duty is, by this Act,
 to be Applied and Disposed of, and to no
 other Use or Purpose whatsoever.

And be it further Enacted by the Au-
 thority aforesaid, That it shall and may
 be Lawful to and for the said Trus-
 tees, or any Eleven or more of them, from
 Time to Time, during the Continuance
 of this present Act, to make out War-
 rants or Orders in Writing, under their
 Hands, Directed to the Treasurer or Re-
 ceiver of the said Tolls, Requiring him
 to Pay thereout to the Person or Persons
 Named in such Warrant or Order, their
 Executors, Administrators, or Assigns, the
 growing Interest of the Sum of Mo-
 ney mentioned in such Warrant or Order,
 as the same shall, from Time to Time, be-
 come Due, until such Time as the prin-
 cipal Sum mentioned in such Warrant
 or Order shall be Paid off and Discharg-
 ed at One entire Payment.

Provided that no Warrant or Order
 to be Issued to the said Treasurer or Re-
 ceiver, by Virtue of this Act, shall be for
 any greater Sum than Fifty Pounds.

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And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That all and every Person or Persons to whom such Warrants or Orders shall be given, his, her or their Executors or Administrators may, by Endorsements on such Orders or Receipts, Transfer their Right and Benefit of the Sum mentioned in such Warrants or Orders, which Endorsements, upon Notice to the Treasurer or Receiver of the said Tolls, and an Entry or Memorial thereof made, in a Book to be Kept for that Purpose, which the said Treasurer or Receiver shall, upon Request, without Charge, Fee, or Reward, make accordingly, and shall, upon the like Request, Permit to be Wielded, at Reasonable Hours, without Fee or Reward, shall Intitle the Endorsee or Assignee, his or her Executors, Administrators, or Assigns, to the Sole Benefit of the Sum so Transferred or Assigned, and that the said Warrant or Order may, in like Manner, be Assigned or Transferred by such Assignee, his or her Executors or Administrators, and so toties quoties; And that after such Assignment, it shall not be in the Power of the Person or Persons who made such Assignment, to make Void, Release, or Discharge the said Assignment, or the Sum thereby Transferred or Assigned, or any Part thereof.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the Treasurer or Receiver of the said Tolls shall Arithmetically Number all the Warrants or Orders which shall be Given or Delivered out, in Pursuance of this Act, as they shall be Delivered out, Commencing by Number One, and so Continuing the Numbers till the whole be Arithmetically Numbered.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the several Tolls and Duties hereby made payable, shall be Applied and Paid to the Discharge of the Interest of so much Money as shall be Borrowed in Pursuance of this Act, and towards Making and Repairing the said Roads, and that all the Surplus of the said Tolls and Duties hereby made payable, Over and Above what shall be Sufficient to Discharge the said Interest, and Repair the said Roads, shall be Applied in Discharge of the principal Money so Borrowed, in the Manner hereinafter Mentioned, (to wit,) That when and as often as such Surplus, Received by the said Treasurer or Receiver, shall Amount to the Sum of Two hundred Pounds, then the said Treasurer or Receiver shall Cause the Number of all the Warrants or Orders, which shall be Issued and Delivered out, in Pursuance of this Act, and the Sum therein Contained to be Written on sever-

ral Tickets or Pieces of Parchment, and to be Rolled and Sealed up, and put into a Box or Urn, and well Mixed together, and an Indifferent Person, to be Appointed by the said Trustees, or any Nine or more of them, shall Publickly, between the Hours of Ten and Thirteen in the Forenoon, of a Day to be by the said Treasurer or Receiver, Publickly Advertised in the Dublin Gazette for that Purpose, at least Twenty Days before, at Philipstown in the King's County, Drawn out of such Box or Urn as many of the said Tickets or pieces of Parchment, as the Sums therin Contained shall Amount to the said Sum of Two hundred Pounds; And the Person or Persons, the Number of whose Warrants or Orders shall be so Drawn, his, or their Executors, Administrators or Assigns shall, within Twenty Days after the said Warrants or Orders shall be so Drawn as aforesaid, be Paid by the said Treasurer or Receiver, the Principal Sums to him or them respectively Due, with the Interest for the same till Paid, and shall, upon Payment thereof, Deliver up his and their several and respective Warrants or Orders to the said Treasurer or Receiver to be Cancelled, which he is hereby Required to Cancel accordingly, and the Interest payable by Virtue of such Warrants or Orders shall Cease from the Expiration of Twenty Days to be Accounted from the Day of Drawing the said Tickets or Pieces of Parchment.

provided alwayes, That in Case there
shall be more than One Gate or Turn-
pike, in, across, or on the Side of the said
High-Ways or Roads, between the Town
of Ballynagar, in the King's County, and the
Town of Clane, in the County of Kildare,
no Person or Persons having paid the Toll
or Duty at the first Gate or Turn-pike
through which such Person or Persons
shall pass, and producing a Note or
Ticket that the said Toll or Duty was
paid (which Note or Ticket the Re-
ceiver or Receivers, Collector and Collectors
is, and are hereby Required to give Gra-
tis) shall be Liable to pay any Toll or
Duty at any other of the said Gates
or Turn-pikes, upon the said High-Way
or Roads, such Person or Persons Deliver-
ing the said Note or Ticket to the said
Receiver or Receivers, Collector or Col-
lectors of the said Toll or Duty, at the
Latter Gate or Turn-pike the same Day,
and no Person or Persons having Occasion
to pass the place or places where the Toll
or Duty is taken, who shall Return the
same Day upon, or with the same Horse,
Mare, Gelding, Ass, Mule, Cattle, Coach,
Chariot, Berlin, Chaise, Chair, Calash,
Waggou, Cart, Carr, or other Carriage,
shall be Liable or Compellable the same Day,
to pay the said Toll or Duty more than
Once on the said Road.

And

And for the preventing Frauds and Non-
les in the said Toll or Duty; Be it En-
acted by the Authority aforesaid, That if
any Person or Persons having paid the
Toll or Duty by this Act Granted and
made payable, and having such Note or
Ticket, Notes, or Tickets, as is hereby
Directed, shall Give or Dispose of the
same to any other Person or Persons, in
Order to Avoid the payment of the said
Toll or Duty, every such Person Giving,
Disposing, or Offering, and the Person Re-
ceiving such Note or Ticket, Notes or Tick-
ets, and being thereof Convicted, upon the
Oath of One or more Witnesses or Wit-
nesses, before the said Trustees, or any
Five or more of them, or before any One
or more Justice or Justices of the Peace
for the County, Wherein such Offence or
Offences shall be Committed, (which Oath
the said Trustees, and the said Justice
or Justices are hereby Impowered to
Administer) shall respectively Forfeit
and Pay the Sum of Ten Shillings,
to be Levied, Recovered and Disposed of
as any other Penalty or Forfeiture is Di-
rected to be Levied, Recovered, and Dispo-
sed of by this Act.

Provided alwayes, and be it hereby De-
clared, That during the Continuance of
this Act, all Coaches, and passengers on
Horseback, shall pass and Repass Toll

free,

CHAP. Free, on the Day or Days on which there
XX. shall be an Election, for Knight or Knights
of the Shire, to Serve in Parliament for
the said Counties of Kildare, and King's
County, or for any Burgess to Serve
in Parliament, for any Boroughs in the
said Counties respectively; Any Thing here-
in Contained to the Contrary notwithstanding.

And be it further Enacted by the Au-
thority aforesaid, That the said Trustees,
or any Fifteen or more of them, may,
at any Meeting to be held by them, from
Time to Time, as they shall see Conve-
nient or Think fit, Contract with any
Person or Persons for the Farming and
Letting the Tolls arising by this present
Act, for any Sum or Sums, by the Year,
to be Paid by Monthly or Quarterly Pay-
ments, or other, to such Person or Per-
sons as shall be Appointed from Time to
Time by the said Trustees, or any Five
or more of them, to Receive such Quar-
terly, or other Payments, as shall be Con-
tracted, after such Contract or Agree-
ment shall be made; Provided such Term,
so to be Granted by them, of the said Tolls,
shall not exceed the Space or Term of Two
Years, at any One Time of Letting or
Farming the same, and so toies quoties.

And be it further Enacted by the Autho-
rity aforesaid, That the said Trustees, or
any

any Nine or more of them, may, and are hereby Impowered, from Time to Time as they shall See Convenient or Think fit, to Compound or Agree by the Year or otherwise, with any Person or Persons Using to Travel through the Turn-pike or Turn-pikes to be Erected, with any Milch Colbs, Horse, Mare or Gelding, Ass or Mule, or with any Coach, Berlin, Calash, Chair, Chaise, Waggon, Cart, Carr, or any other Carriage, for any Sum or Sums of Money, to be paid Quarterly, from Time to Time after such Agreement shall be Made.

Provided also, And be it hereby Declared by the Authority aforesaid, That no Person shall be Charged with any of the Tolls and Duties aforesaid, who shall pass through any of the Turn-pikes to be Erected by this Act, who shall Carry any Quantity of Stones, Gravel, or other Materials, for Making and Repairing the said Roads, or any of the Roads in the Parishes in which the same do Lye, or in any of the Neighbouring Parishes; Nor shall any Person or Persons be Chargeable with the said Toll or Duty, for any Carts, Carrs, or Waggons, Loaden with Corn in the Stralb only; Nor for any ploughs, Harrows, or other Implements of Husbandry, in Order to the Using or Repairing the same, in the several Parishes in which the said Road, hereby Intended

CHAP. to be Made and Repaired, doth Lye;
XX. Nor shall any Toll or Duty be Demand-
ed or Taken, at any of the Turn-pike
or Turn-pikes to be Erected, for any Horse,
Mare, Gelding, Ass, or Mule, or other
Cattle Going to Water, or for any Post-
Horse Carrying the Mail or Packet, or for
such Horse as is or shall be Used only to
Ride on, by the Owner or Driver of any
Waggon, Cart or Carriage, Provided
such Horse pass through the said Turn-
pike or Turn-pikes, with such Waggon,
Cart or Carriage; Nor shall any Toll
or Duty be Demanded or Taken for the
Horses of Soldiers passing, that are up-
on their March, or for Waggons, Carts,
Carts, or other Carriages Attending them,
or for Horses, Waggons, Carts, Carts,
or other Carriages, Travelling with Wa-
grants Sent by Passes, or with Prisoners
Transmitted from One Part of the King-
dom to another.

And be it further Enacted by the Au-
thority aforesaid, That the Toll or Duty
hereby Granted, shall Take place, and
have Continuance from and after the first
Day of May, One thousand seven hundred
and fifty two, for, and during the Term
of Sixty Years.

Provided nevertheless, That if at any
Time before the Expiration of the said
Term of Sixty Years, all parts of the
said

said Road shall be Sufficiently Made
and Repaired, and so Adjudged by the
Majority of the Trustees Appointed, or here-
after to be Chosen by Virtue of this Act,
by an Adjudication Made, and Repayment
of such Money as shall have been Ad-
vanced or Borrowed, with Interest for
the same, and the Costs and Charges
thereof; The said Tolls and Duties shall
Cease and Determine; Any Thing here-
in Contained to the Contrary notwithstanding.

And be it further Enacted by the Author-
ity aforesaid, That the said Road or
Roads shall be Made and Repaired from
the said Town of Ballynagar, in the King's
County, through the Bogg of Allen and
adjacent Lands, to the said Town of
Clane, in the County of Kildare.

And be it further Enacted by the Author-
ity aforesaid, That for the Continuing a
Sufficient Number of able Persons, to be
Trustees for putting in Execution all and
every the Powers in this Act Contained,
for and During the Continuance thereof,
it shall and may be Lawful to and for
the said Trustees, or any Nine or more
of them, upon the Death of any of the
said Trustees, or their Removal, or Refu-
sing to Act in the said Trust, from Time
to Time, and at all Times hereafter, Dur-
ing the Term aforesaid, to Elect, Nominate,

CHAP. XX. nate, and Appoint in the Room of such Trustee or Trustees so Deceased, Removed,
 or Refusing to Act, so many more fit and Able Person or Persons, living in the said King's County, and County of Kildare, to be Joined with the said Trustees in the Execution of all and every the Power and Powers in them Reposed, by Virtue of this Act, and all and every Person or Persons so to be Chosen Trustee or Trustees, to Join in putting this Act in Execution, as they are herein before Qualified to do, shall and may, and are hereby Impowered to Act, to all Intents and Purposes, in as full, large, and ample a Manner as the said Trustees are by this Act Impowered to do, and so often as Occasion shall require.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the said Trustees, or any Eleven or more of them, shall Meet in the Town of Tullamore, in the King's County, on the Third Tuesday in the Month of May next, and the said Trustees shall then Adjourn themselves, and afterwards Meet there, or at any other place or places near the said High-Way or Road to be Made or Repaired, as the said Trustees, or any five or more of them, shall think proper and Convenient, as often as it shall be Necessary for the putting this Act in Execution;

And

And if it shall happen that there shall not Appear, at any Meeting that shall be Appointed to be Had or Held by the said Trustees, a sufficient Number of Trustees to Act at such Meeting, and to adjourn to any other Day, then, and in such Case, the Clerk of the said Trustees, by Notice in Writing, to be Affixed at the respective Gates or Turn-pikes, Where such Number of Trustees shall be Wanting, at least Ten Days before the next Meeting, shall Appoint the said Trustees to Meet at the House Where the Meeting of the said Trustees was last Appointed to be had, or at some other Convenient House near the said Road, on that Day Fortnight upon which such last Meeting of the said Trustees was Appointed to have been held; And that the said Trustees at their first Meeting, and at all other subsequent Meetings, shall Defray their own Charges and Expences.

Provided alwayes, and be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That no Person or Persons Appointed, or to be Appointed by this Act, a Trustee or Trustees for putting this Act in Execution, shall Have or Accept of any Place of Profit Arising out of, or by Reason of the Toll or Duty, by this Act Laid or Granted, but such Person or Persons shall be Incapable from the Time of Accepting and Continuing

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That no such Trustee or Trustees shall, in his or their own Name or Names, or in the Name or Names of any other Person or Persons, Take and Contract for the Making and Repairing the said Roads, or any Part of them, Whereby any Profit may Arise to him or them, but that from such Time he or they shall Cease to be a Trustee or Trustees; And that any Person or Persons that shall Undertake or Contract for the Making or Repairing the said Roads, or any Part of them, shall, if Required, take an Oath before the said Trustees respectively, or any Seven or more of them, which Oath they have hereby Power to Administer, that he or they do Undertake the same for his or their own Use, and not for the Use of, or in Trust for, any such Trustee or Trustees whatsoever.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Suit shall be Commenced against any Person or Persons for any Thing done in Pursuance of this Act, that in every such Case, the Action shall be Laid in the said King's County, or County of Kildare, and not elsewhere, and the Defendant or Defendants in such Action or Actions to be brought, may Plead the

the General Issue, and Give this Act and CHAP.
the Special Matter in Evidence, at any XX.
Tryal to be had thereupon, and that
the same was done in pursuance and
by the Authority of this Act; And if
it shall Appear so to be done, or such
Action or Actions shall be brought in any
other County, that then the Jury shall
find for the Defendant or Defendants,
and upon such Verdict, or if the Plaintiff
shall be Non-Suited, or Discontinue his
Action after the Defendant or Defendants
shall have Appeared, or if on any De-
murrer Judgment shall be given against
the Plaintiff, the Defendant or Defendants
shall and may Recover Treble Costs, and
have the like Remedy for the same, as
any Defendant or Defendants have in
any other Cases by Law.

And be it further Enacted by the Autho-
rity aforesaid, That this Act shall be
Deemed, Adjudged, and Taken to be a
publick Act, and be Judicially taken No-
tice of as such by all Judges, Justices,
and other Persons whatsoever, Without
Specially pleading the same.